

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
MCALLEN DIVISION**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
  
*Plaintiff,*  
  
v.  
  
6.281 ACRES OF LAND, MORE OR LESS,  
SITUATE IN STARR COUNTY,  
STATE OF TEXAS; AND RUMALDA V.  
GOMEZ, *ET AL.*,

### *Defendants.*

CASE NO. 7:20-CV-0011

**AFFIDAVIT OF FACTS CONCERNING THE IDENTITY OF THE HEIRS OF  
DAVID DEWAYNE LOPEZ, DECEASED**

In accordance with the provisions of 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I, ELISABEL LOPEZ, the undersigned, do hereby make the following unsworn declaration, under penalty of perjury:

1. My name is ELISABEL LOPEZ, and I live at: [REDACTED], Mission,  
Texas 78574.

I am personally familiar with the family and marital history of: David Dewayne Lopez ("Decedent") and I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this affidavit.

2. I knew Decedent from [REDACTED] 1989 until March 25, 2018. Decedent Died on March 25, 2018, in Starr County, Texas.

At the time of Decedent's death, Decedent's residence was located in Rio Grande  
City, Texas 78582.



3. Decedent's marital history was as follows, Decedent was married one (1) time.

Name of Spouse	Date of Marriage	Date of Divorce	Date of Spouse's Death	Number of Children
San Juanita Garza	December 1985	August 1995	N/A	2

The Decedent died single.

4. Decedent's parents were:

Decedent's Parents	Parent's Name/Address	Parent's Date of Death
MOTHER	Delia A. Lopez	January 27, 2012
	Rio Grande City, Texas 78582	
FATHER	Exiquio Lopez	February 20, 2002
	Port Lavaca, Texas 77979	

5. Decedent had 2 children, including 0 adopted children:

Name of Child (Relationship) / Current Address	Name of Child's Other Parent	Date of Birth	Date of Death
1. Abel David Lopez [REDACTED] Mission, Texas 78573	San Juanita Garza	[REDACTED] 1991	N/A
2. Elisabel Lopez [REDACTED] Mission, Texas 78574	San Juanita Garza	[REDACTED] 1989	N/A

6. Include if Decedent was not survived by descendants or by either, father and mother

Decedent had the following siblings: N/A.

7. The following persons have knowledge regarding the Decedent, the identity of Decedent's children, parents, or siblings, if any:

Name: ELISABEL LOPEZ

Address: [REDACTED], Mission, Texas 78574

Phone: [REDACTED]

Name: ABEL DAVID LOPEZ

Address: [REDACTED], Mission, Texas 78573

Phone: [REDACTED]

8. Decedent died without leaving a written will.
9. There has not been an administration of Decedent's estate.
10. Decedent left no debts that are unpaid, except: None.
11. There are no unpaid estate or inheritance taxes, except: None.
12. To the best of my knowledge, Decedent owned an interest in the real property that is the subject of the condemnation action styled *United States of America vs. 6.281 Acres of Land, More or Less, Situated in Starr County, State of Texas; and Rumalda V. Gomez, et al.*; Civil Cause No. 7:20-cv-0011.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct:

Signature: Elisabel Lopez

Printed Name: Elisabel Lopez

Title (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

Executed on: May 19, 2020 at Mission, TX, USA.  
(Date) (City, State, Country)

Address: [REDACTED] Mission, TX, 78574

Telephone: [REDACTED]